

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A video recording and reproducing apparatus according to the present invention has a micro computer that operates if two consecutive recording reservations are set in a timer computer, to process the two
5 recording reservations by considering a period from the start of the earlier reserved recording to the end of the succeeding reserved recording to be a single recording operation. Thus, if temporally consecutive
10 programs are recorded using a reserved recording function, recording is inhibited from being interrupted during the time required for recording initialization.